













# THE CHINA MAIL.

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

#### FOR MANILA.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for ILOILO and CEBU).

**THE Steamer VENUS.**  
Captain D. JAMES, will be despatched at above on SATURDAY, the 9th Instant, at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BRANDAO & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2612

#### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### FOR SHANGHAI.

**THE Company's Steamship TAIWAN.**  
Captain HARRIS, will be despatched at above on SATURDAY, the 9th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2616

#### THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, LD.

#### FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.

**THE Company's Steamship MATSUZUKU MARU.**  
Captain T. OKADA, will be despatched at above on SUNDAY, the 10th Instant, at Daylight.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 4, 1899. 2605

#### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### FOR MANILA.

**THE Company's Steamship YUENSANG.**  
Captain P. H. ROSE, R.N.R., will be despatched at above on MONDAY, the 11th Instant, at 4 p.m.  
This steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, December 6, 1899. 2622

#### FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

**THE Steamship ARRATON APCAR.**  
Captain E. FRY, will be despatched at above on TUESDAY, the 12th Instant, at Daylight.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**D. SASSON, SONS & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2631

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

#### FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

**THE Company's Steamship IDOMENEUS.**  
Captain BRYAN, will be despatched at above on TUESDAY, the 12th Instant, at Noon.  
For Freight, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 16, 1899. 2499

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

#### FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

(Not Calling at LONDON).  
**THE Company's Steamship TANTALUS.**  
Captain BARTLEY, will be despatched on or about FRIDAY, the 15th December, taking Cargo to Liverpool, at LONDON rates.  
For Freight, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 24, 1899. 2645

#### AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

#### STEAM TO YOKOHAMA & KOBE.

**THE Company's Steamship GISELA.**  
Captain F. MOSCA, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**SANDER, WIELER & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2633

#### SHAW, TOMES & Co.'s NEW YORK LINE.

**FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.**  
**THE Steamship ASAMA.**  
will be despatched at the above Port on or about 27th December. To be followed by the S. S. QUEEN ELIZABETH.  
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**SHAW, TOMES & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2622

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This fugitive and delicate perfume is persistent as an Extract for the handkerchief while as a Soap and Powder, it has been adopted by the most refined French Society.

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10,000 White Violets  
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### Steamers.

#### DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### FOR AMOY & TAMSUI.

**THE Company's Steamship HAILONG.**  
Captain ROSSON, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 9th Instant, at 3 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LARRAIK & CO.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2635

#### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### FOR MANILA.

**THE Company's Steamship CHINGTU.**  
Captain WILLIAMS, will be despatched at above on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Instant, at Noon.  
The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines.  
A daily qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.  
For Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 5, 1899. 2632

#### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

**THE Company's Steamship CHINGTU.**  
Captain WILLIAMS, will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Dec., at Noon.  
The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. The First Class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the Supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage.  
A daily qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.  
N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from Australia are available for return by the Steamers of the Eastern and Australian S. S. Co. and vice versa.  
For Passage or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 23, 1899. 2533

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

#### FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

**THE Company's Steamship PATROCLUS.**  
Captain DUNN, will be despatched at above on TUESDAY, the 26th Instant.  
For Freight, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 5, 1899. 2615

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

#### FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

**THE Steamship APRIDI.**  
will be despatched for the above Port about the Middle of January, 1900.  
For Freight, apply to  
**DODWELL & Co., Ltd.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 5, 1899. 2516

## Sailing Vessels.

#### FOR PHILADELPHIA & NEW YORK.

**THE 3/4 A. I. I. American Ship ST. MARK.**  
Captain DUNN, is ready to take Cargo here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 24, 1899. 2645

#### FOR BALTIMORE AND NEW YORK.

**THE 3/4 A. I. I. American Ship REUCOF.**  
Captain WHITMORE, is ready to take Cargo here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
**ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 10, 1899. 2647

#### FOR NEW YORK.

**THE 3/4 A. I. I. American Ship ADOLPH OBRIG.**  
Captain AMSTURV, having arrived, will shortly load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to  
**ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 10, 1899. 2647

## Mails.

### STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Through Bills of Lading issued for BATAVIA, PRESTIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

**THE Steamship OLYDE.** Captain C. T. DENNY, R.N.R., carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this Port on or about SATURDAY, the 9th December, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.  
Sik and Valahies, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay with Transhipment.  
Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.  
Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of this Company's Bills of Lading.  
For further Particulars, apply to  
**H. A. RITCHIE,**  
Superintendent.  
P. O. & S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, Nov. 23, 1899. 2620

## Mails.

### TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

#### TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN & HONOLULU.

#### PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

**Hongkong Maru.** (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu).  
SATURDAY, Dec. 9, at Noon.  
**Nippon Maru.** (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu).  
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 3, at Noon, 1900.  
**America Maru.** (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu).  
SATURDAY, Jan. 27, at Noon, 1900.

**THE S. S. HONGKONG MARU** will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 9th Dec., at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and Passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havre, Trinidad, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Passengers holding orders for OVERLAND CITIES in the United States have between San Francisco and Chicago, the option of the SOUTHERN PACIFIC CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER AND RIO GRANDE, and other direct connecting Railways, and from Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines. Particulars of the various routes can be had on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havre, Trinidad, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcels will be received at the Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Parcels should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building.  
**J. S. YAN BUREN, Agent.**  
Hongkong, November 14, 1899. 2478

#### NOTICE.

#### COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

#### PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

#### STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, DIBOUTI, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX.

#### ALSO.

#### POINTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

#### ON MONDAY, the 18th December, at Noon, the Co's S. S. YAKA.

#### will leave this Port for MARSEILLES via Ports of Call, without Transhipment.

#### Cargo and Passengers will be received for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

#### For Freight, apply to

#### ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,

#### Agents.

#### Hongkong, November 10, 1899. 2647

#### FOR NEW YORK.

#### THE 3/4 A. I. I. American Ship ADOLPH OBRIG.

#### will leave this Port for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

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#### Hongkong, November 10, 1899. 2647

## PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

### WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named—

#### FOR LONDON, &c., via Suez.

**CLYDE.** Captain A. DENNY, R.N.R., Dec. 9th Dec. Noon.

**MANILA.** Captain R. T. L. COPE, R.N.R., Dec. 9th Dec. Noon.

**YOKOHAMA.** Captain C. C. TAYLOR, R.N.R., Dec. 9th Dec. Noon.

**SHANGHAI.** Captain A. DENNY, R.N.R., Dec. 9th Dec. Noon.

**LONDON.** Captain T. H. HIDE, R.N.R., Dec. 28th Dec. Noon.

\* See Special Advertisement. For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to  
**H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.**

P. O. & S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 8, 1899. 2670

## IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

### STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, HAMBURG.

### PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS.

### ALSO.

### LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LOGGAGE. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.

### PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

#### Steamers.

**KONIG ALBERT.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**PRINZ HEINRICH.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**PREUSSEN.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**KARLSRUHE.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**SACHSEN.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**OLDENBURG.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**SAVERN.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**STUTTGART.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**KONIG ALBERT.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**PREUSSEN.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**HAMBURG (Hamburg Amerika Linie).** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

**PRINZ HEINRICH.** ... Dec. 12th Dec. Noon.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of December, 1899, at Noon, the Steamship KONIG ALBERT, of the Norddeutscher Lloyd, Captain O. CURTIS, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above, calling at ...

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on Monday, the 11th December, and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 12th Dec. Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on Tuesday, the 12th Dec. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement. The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Linen can be washed on board.

### NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

For further Particulars, apply to  
**MELCHERS & Co.,**  
Agents.

## U. S. Mail Line.

### PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

#### VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

#### PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

**Orion** (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu).  
SATURDAY, Dec. 16, at Noon.

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A COMFORTABLE 8-ROOMED RESIDENCE, with TERRACE, COURT, and garden, situated on the Peak Road, near QUEEN'S GARDENS.  
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A 10 ROOMED HOUSE, with GARDEN and 2 BATHS, TERRACE, near the PEAK ROAD.  
Apply to  
HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1899. 1708

**TO LET.**  
HARFORD - MAGAZINE GAR.  
GODOWNS at KENNEDY TOWN.  
GROUND FLOOR, 52 PEARL STREET.  
Apply to  
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.  
Hongkong, December 5, 1899. 1455

**JUST LANDED.**  
STEAMER CHINGTU.  
A Small Consignment of PINEAPPLE BRAND, AUSTRALIAN FRESH SWEET BACON.  
H. RUTTONJEE.  
13 and 15, D'Almeida Street, Hongkong, 21 and 22, Elgin Road, Kowloon.  
Hongkong, November 24, 1899. 2544

**JOHN WALKER & SONS.**  
FAMOUS  
KILMARNOCK WHISKY.  
This World-renowned FINE OLD HIGHLAND WHISKY is shipped by CUTLER, PALMER & Co., and is obtainable in Hongkong of  
G. C. ANDERSON,  
No. 13, Praya Central.  
Hongkong, March 1, 1899. 615

**Insurances.**

**UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.**  
(Incorporated in the City of London, A.D. 1719)  
CAPITAL PAID UP, £1,000,000.  
TOTAL INVESTED FUNDS, £25,261,023.  
TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME, £223,208.  
THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents of the above Society in Hongkong, are prepared to issue POLICIES against FIRE on the usual terms.  
HARRY WICKING & Co.,  
Praya Central.  
1149

**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
TOTAL FUNDS AT 31st December, 1898, £13,559,989.  
Authorized Capital, £3,000,000.00  
Subscribed Capital, £2,750,000.00  
Paid-up Capital, £2,487,500.00  
Fire Funds, £2,785,469.71  
HAVING been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, we are prepared to accept EUROPEAN and CHINESE RISKS at Current Rates.  
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, June 28, 1899. 1537

**THE IMPERIAL MARINE INSURANCE CO., LTD., TOKYO.**  
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES.  
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, January 5, 1899. 45

**THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
ENDOWMENTS FOR CHILDREN.  
No MEDICAL Examination required. Profoundly reliable in the event of death before the return is attained. For rates for Annual or Single Payments, to Secure £100 payable on a Child attaining a certain age.  
Apply to  
DODD & CO., LTD.  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 8, 1899. 3-83

**Dentistry.**

**AMERICAN SYSTEM OF DENTISTRY.**  
33, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.  
OHADWICK, K.E.W.  
(Late of POATE and NOLAN).  
Hongkong, July 12, 1897. 2684

**S. I. T. N. G.**  
Surgeon-Dentist.  
No. 10, D'Almeida Street.  
TERMS VERY MODERATE.  
Consultation Free.  
Hongkong, April 6, 1895. 628

**DENTISTRY.**  
AMERICAN SYSTEM.  
WONG HUI.  
SURGEON-DENTIST.  
TERMS MODERATE.  
Consultation Free.  
50, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, October 3, 1899. 2100

**DENTISTRY.**  
SUI SANG.  
Lately Practising with Dr. L. SARATA, DENTIST.  
No. 4, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1898. 5

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Apply to  
'THE OCEANIA' OFFICE,  
No. 13 and 14, Bensonfield Avenue, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, September 16, 1899. 2066

## Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at.
Alacrity	despatch-boat	1799	10	3000	Comdr. A. H. Smith-Dorrien	Hongkong
Albatross	despatch-boat	1551	10	1400	Comdr. E. J. W. Slade	Nagasaki
Albatross	despatch-boat	1551	10	1400	Comdr. E. J. W. Slade	Nagasaki
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Albatross	despatch-boat	1551	10	1400	Comdr. E. J. W. Slade	Nagasaki
Albatross	despatch-boat	1551	10	1400	Comdr. E. J. W. Slade	Nagasaki

\* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir R. H. Seymour, K.C.B. + Flagship of Rear-Admiral C. S. P. Fitzgerald.

## Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at.
Presidente Sarmiento	Argentine training vessel.	2850	—	—	Captain Lohbecker	Singapore
Aspid	French gunboat	475	3	450	Commander Journo	Saigon
Desaix	French gunboat	4033	14	8500	Capt. Philibert	Kongchow
Desaix	French gunboat	1675	8	2050	Capt. Toulon	Nagasaki
Desaix	French gunboat	4500	10	2200	Capt. Toulon	Saigon
Desaix	French gunboat	1550	6	2200	Capt. Toulon	Saigon
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**SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.**  
"SAFARI" AND "SOLDIER" FAMILIES' FUND.  
Sir T. Jackson acknowledges receipt of the following subscriptions to the above Fund:  
The "Mission" and "Raid" Fund in already acknowledged in the above Fund.  
Jardine Matheson & Co. £1,500  
Butterfield & Swire 1,000  
Bates & Co. 1,000  
E. D. Sengco & Co. 1,000  
S. J. Tong & Co. 1,000  
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## Banks.

## THE MERCHANTS BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

**AUTHORIZED CAPITAL**.....£1,500,000  
**SUBSCRIBED**.....£1,125,000  
**PAID UP**.....£1,125,000  
**RESERVE FUND**.....£21,000

**BANKERS:**  
 LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

**INTEREST** allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

**ON FIXED DEPOSITS:**  
 For 12 Months ..... 4%  
 " 6 " ..... 3%  
 " 3 " ..... 2%  
 J. THURBURN,  
 Manager, Hongkong.

## HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

**INTEREST** on deposits is allowed at 3% PER CENT. per annum. Depositors transfer at their option balances of 100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
 T. JACKSON,  
 Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1895. 1817

## THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.  
**HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.**

**CAPITAL PAID UP**.....£800,000  
**RESERVE FUND**.....£1,000,000  
**RESERVE FUND**.....£1,000,000  
**RESERVE FUND**.....£1,000,000

**INTEREST** allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

**On Fixed Deposits for 12 months** 4%  
 " 6 " 3%  
 " 3 " 2%  
 T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
 Manager.

Hongkong, May 20, 1899. 846

## HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

**PAID UP CAPITAL**.....£10,000,000  
**RESERVE FUND**.....£11,000,000  
**RESERVE FUND**.....£10,000,000  
**PROFITS**.....£10,000,000

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 On Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.

**ON FIXED DEPOSITS:**  
 For 3 months 3% per annum.  
 " 6 " 4%  
 " 12 " 5%  
 T. JACKSON,  
 Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 17, 1899. 356

## IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.

ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF THE 12TH NOVEMBER, 1906.

**SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL**.....Tls. 5,000,000  
**PAID UP CAPITAL**.....Tls. 2,500,000

**HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.**  
 BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:  
 CANTON, PEKING, SHANGHAI, SWATOW, TIENTSIN, HANKOW.

THE BANK PURCHASES and receives for Collection Bills of Exchange drawn on the above places, and Sells Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers Payable at its Branches and Agencies.

**HONGKONG BRANCH.**  
 Advances made on approved securities. Bills Discounted.

**Interest** allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

**On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months** 3%  
 " 6 " 4%  
 " 12 " 5%  
 F. W. BUTLER,  
 Chief Manager.

Hongkong, November 1, 1906. 1779

## Banks.

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

**AUTHORIZED CAPITAL**.....£1,000,000  
**PAID UP CAPITAL**.....£524,374

## HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

**Board of Directors:**  
 CHAN KHEE-SHAN, Esq., D. GILLIES, Esq., CHOW TUNG-SHANG, KUAN HUI-CHUN, Esq., J. T. LAUREN, Esq., G. W. F. FLETCHER.

**Chief Manager:**  
 G. W. F. FLETCHER.

**Interest** for 12 months Fixed ... 5%  
 Hongkong, May 30, 1899. 171

## THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1880.

**CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED)**.....Yen 24,000,000  
**CAPITAL PAID UP**....." 12,000,000  
**CAPITAL UNCALLED**....." 12,000,000  
**RESERVE FUND**....." 7,500,000

## HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.

**BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:**  
 TOKYO, KOREA, NAGASAKI, LONDON, LYONS, NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, HONGKONG, BOMBAY, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN.

**LONDON BANKERS:**  
 The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited, Parr's Bank, Limited, The Union Bank of London, Limited.

**HONGKONG AGENCY—Interest allowed.**  
 On Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.  
 On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum.  
 On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per annum.  
 On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per annum.  
 S. CHOW, Agent.  
 Hongkong, October 4, 1899. 589

## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Arcton* has arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once. Cargo remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 8th Dec. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Shanghai Wharf and Godown Company, Limited.

Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, December 6, 1899. 2820

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of cargo from LONDON, HAVRE, and other Ports, from the S.S. *Arcton*, are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once. Cargo remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 8th Dec. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Shanghai Wharf and Godown Company, Limited.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 9 a.m. of the 4th inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned, Goods remaining unclaimed after Monday, the 11th inst. at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Monday, the 11th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on Monday, the 11th inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, December 4, 1899. 2610

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER *MAZAGON*.

## FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Shanghai Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo:  
 From PERSIAN GULF, etc., ex s.s. *Kilwa*. Goods not cleared by the 13th Dec. at 4 p.m. will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns, and a Certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the Vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2632

## CHAS. J. GAUFF &amp; Co.

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

## NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splendid Collection of the Latest Designs. Patented by the London & Lancashire Diamond Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, November 1, 1899. 1779

## Intimations.

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Plates, Papers, Films, Chemicals, Kodaks, Cameras, &c., &c. DEVELOPING AND PRINTING UNDERTAKEN FOR AMATEURS.

## Coast Port Orders Executed.

A. CHEE & CO., FURNITURE STORE, 17, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. 1108

## A-HING, PHOTOGRAPHER.

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## M. MUMEYA, JAPANESE ARTIST AND PHOTOGRAPHER.

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T. F. DA CRUZ, Manager.

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## Intimations.

## JAPANESE FINE ART CURIOS.

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## KOWLOON HOTEL, BRITISH KOWLOON.

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## BOARD &amp; LODGING.

THE WESTERN HOTEL, 90 & 92, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. 519

## NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.

## ROTISSERIE.

Meals a la Carte.

CHOPS, STEAKS, etc., etc., at any time, between 7.30 a.m. and 11 p.m.

Monthly Table at Moderate Rates. Madar & Farmer, Proprietors. Hongkong, May 1, 1899. 1738

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## BREAKFAST, Tiffin, DINNER.

MEALS at all Hours.

Good Cuisine, Attentive Service. Parties Catered for at Short Notice. Refreshments.

No. 34, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, November 30, 1899. 2691

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## TIME TABLE.

7.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.

8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every ten minutes.

9.30 a.m. to 10.45 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.

11.30 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

3.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

6.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. and from 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.

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Extra cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m. Sundays.

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SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hongkong, May 1, 1899. 1079

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

(Schedule of Arrivals and Departures reported by Agents.)

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into three sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, near the Kowloon shore B, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between such shores are marked C. In conjunction with the figures denoting the section.

- Section A.**  
 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.  
 2. From the Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.  
 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office.  
 4. From the Harbour's Office to the Market.  
 5. From the Market to Paddar's Wharf.  
 6. From Paddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
- Section B.**  
 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.  
 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.  
 9. From East Point to North Point.  
 10. Kowloon Wharves.  
 11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name	Agent	Flag and Rig	Tonnage	Date of Arrival	Consignees or Agents	Destination	Remarks
<b>Steamers.</b>							
Attila	G. G. G. G.	British str.	2384	Dec. 8	Dodwell & Co., Limited		
Airle	G. G. G. G.	British str.	2800	Dec. 8	Chih, Livingston & Co.		
Amara	G. G. G. G.	British str.	1527	Dec. 8	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Arratoon	G. G. G. G.	British str.	2879	Dec. 8	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.		
Chinshing	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	1115	Dec. 8	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Chia	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	675	Nov. 30	J. & S. N. Co.		
Clyde	G. G. G. G.	British str.	2199	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Empress of Japan	G. G. G. G.	British str.	5914	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Fukui Maru	G. G. G. G.	Japanese str.	2143	Dec. 8	Douglas Steamship Co.		
Hailong	G. G. G. G.	Chinese str.	783	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Holstein	G. G. G. G.	Ger. str.	628	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Holstein	G. G. G. G.	Ger. str.	2030	Nov. 30	J. & S. N. Co.		
Holstein	G. G. G. G.	Ger. str.	955	Nov. 28	J. & S. N. Co.		
Hongkong Maru	G. G. G. G.	Japanese str.	3855	Nov. 28	J. & S. N. Co.		
Kateyama Maru	G. G. G. G.	Japanese str.	1106	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Lygon	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	1943	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Nanyang	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	1238	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Maizuru Maru	G. G. G. G.	Japanese str.	883	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Mazagon	G. G. G. G.	British str.	667	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Monmouth	G. G. G. G.	British str.	3279	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Rosetta	G. G. G. G.	British str.	1989	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Telegraph Maru	G. G. G. G.	Japanese str.	2039	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Tartarus	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	1608	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Thal	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	1578	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Triumph	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	372	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Undaunted	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	670	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Whampoa	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	2032	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
Zwerg	G. G. G. G.	Brit. str.	653	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		
			1109	Nov. 28	J. & S. N. Co.		
			911	Dec. 8	J. & S. N. Co.		

## Sailing Vessels.

Adolph Oberg	Amer. hq.	1802	Oct. 17	Standard Oil Co.	
John McDonald	Amer. sh.	2128	Nov. 25	Standard Oil Co.	
Mary L. Cushing	Amer. sh.	1010	Oct. 1	Order	
Rosetta	Amer. sh.	1828	Oct. 1	Standard Oil Co.	
St. Mark	Amer. sh.	2121	Oct. 1	Order	
State of Maine	Amer. sh.	2087	Aug. 27	Order	
Warth	Brit. sh.	1600	Oct. 1	Standard Oil Co.	
West York	Brit. sh.	52	Sept. 28	F. W. Hall	
Wm. H. Conner	Amer. sh.	708	Nov. 9	Order	
		1124	Oct. 14	Standard Oil Co.	

## Intimations.

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Hongkong, May 28, 1899. 1093